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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : John P. O'Loughlin et al.  
Serial No. : 09/840,196  
Filing Date : April 23, 2001  
For : INFLATABLE SIDE CURTAIN  
WITH FILL TUBE  
Group Art Unit : 3611  
Examiner : L. Lum  
Attorney Docket No. : TRW(VSSIM) 4719-1  
Cleveland, Ohio 44114-1400

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT

Madam:

In response to the Office Action dated August 26, 2002,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

12/23/2002 VROGERS

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Please cancel claims 42-45 and 47 and amend claims 1, 35,  
46, 48, and 52 as follows:

1 (Amended) Apparatus for helping to protect an  
occupant of a vehicle that has a side structure and a roof,  
said apparatus comprising:

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